

Program Grant Awards

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Project Sponsor	Project Name	County	DNR Region	State Share	Local Share	Project Scope
Friends of Lapham Peak, Inc	Facility, Trail and Habitat Improvements	Waukesha	SE	\$ 10,375	\$ 10,375	Replace heating baseboards, lighting, and drinking fountain at Trecker Lodge. Remove invasive species and restore native plants at Nemahbin Springs area.
Friends of Kohler Andrae State Park	Signage & Historic Structure Protection Improvements	Sheboygan	SE	\$ 20,000	\$ 22,540	Replace park entrance signs and internal park signs, develop a protective cover for the keel of the Challenge, renovation of the pond at the park office, and install two dishwashing stations within the park.
Friends of High Cliff State Park	Pavilion Facility Upgrades	Calumet	NE	\$ 20,000	\$ 24,000	Replace entrance doors of the Pavilion on the west side, epoxy the concrete flooring, and enclose the fire place for heating efficiency.
Bong Naturalist Association	Outdoor Nature Explore Classroom Site Work Infrastructure	Kenosha		\$ 20,000	\$ 20,000	Phase I of III; this first phase includes site prep, grading, path work, fence, mulching, and water line installation.
Friends of Interstate State Park	Construct Beach Area Shelter Building	Polk	NO	\$ 20,000	\$ 20,000	This project includes the construction of an open shelter building, landscaping, and 10-12 picnic tables.
Northern Kettle Moraine Horse Trail Association	Horse Trail Enhancements	Fond Du Lac	NE	\$ 14,000	\$ 28,000	Renovation of several areas of the horse trail south of CTH A in the Northern Kettle Moraine State Forest. Project includes about 150 linear feet.
Ice Age Trail Alliance, Inc.	IATA Mobile Skills Crew Trail Development	Statewide	CO	\$ 20,000	\$ 99,375	Project includes repairs of existing Ice Age trail, developing new Ice Age trail, and maintenance of various portions of the Ice Age trail.
Heritage Hill Foundation	Facility Repairs-Printshop, Education Center, Restoration Center	Brown	NE	\$ 20,000	\$ 24,961	Replace windows at the Education Center, replace exterior siding of the Visitor Center, stain exterior siding of the Restoration Center, and reset window glass panes at the Print Shop.
Friends of the Military Ridge	Construct Information Kiosk at Trailhead	Iowa	NE	\$ 2,850	\$ 5,700	Remove old dilapidated kiosk and replace with new kiosk with concrete slab foundation.
Friends of Browntown - Cadiz Springs	Playground Equipment Replacement	Green	SC	\$ 5,000	\$ 5,000	Repair existing swing set of playground equipment.
Friends of Mirror Lake State Park	Campground Enhancement: Fire Ring Replacement	Sauk	SC	\$ 6,800	\$ 6,800	Replace approximately 50 fire rings in the park.
Friends of Peninsula State Park	Nature Center Renovation Phase III	Door	NE	\$ 20,000	\$ 2,000	This final Phase III is to complete the ADA restroom facilities and all the work space and display area addition.
Friends of Devil's Lake State Park	Construct Northshore Boat & Activity Building	Sauk	SC	\$ 20,000	\$ 74,400	Construct the North Shore Boat & Activity building.
Friends of Perrot, Inc.	West Bradys Trail Restoration	Trempealeau	WC	\$ 20,000	\$ 20,000	Renovation of the West Brady's Trail where the trailhead has expanded beyond the original pathway, stop erosion in areas of high impact, install tread stones, and add one new switchback to help erosion and minimize adverse impacts to prairie.
Friends of the Kettle Moraine State Forest - NU	Replace Mauthe Lake Playground Slide	Fond Du Lac	NE	\$ 2,000	\$ 2,000	Replace the slide and complete the playground equipment with other amenities.
Friends of the Kettle Moraine State Forest - NU	Large Mature Tree Planting	Fond Du Lac	NE	\$ 2,000	\$ 2,000	Replace the trees effected from the Emerald Ash Borer with 10 each, 15' adult shade trees.
16 Awards	Total \$ awarded in 2015 applications			\$ 223,025		